## **CSBG**

The federal Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) provides funding to California local communities to assist low-income people in attaining the skills, knowledge, and motivation necessary to achieve self-sufficiency.

2003 CA CSBG Grant	\$57,310,947
Low-Income Individuals in CA*	4,706,130
CA Individuals Served in 2003	1,686,801
Percentage of CA Low-Income Served	35.8%

## CSBG National Goals & CA Achievements

Goal #1: Low-income people become more self-sufficient

- ➤ 3,243 people received educational services and achieved literacy and/or a GED.
- ➤ 33,318 households received income management services and experienced an increase in annual income as a result of earnings.

Goal #2: Conditions in which low-income people live are improved

- ➤ Increased the proportion of state and federal funds allocated for meeting emergency and long-term needs of low-income people by over \$1.2 million.
- ➤ Increased access to community services and resources in their communities by over \$1.2 million (jobs, homes, transportation, medical & child care).

(CSBG National Goals & CA Achievements Continued)

Goal #3: Low-income people own a stake in their community

- ➤ \$18,527,073 of "community investment" was brought into communities and targeted to low-income people.
- ➤ 3,417 people increased their level of participation in community advocacy and intervention activities targeting low-income communities.
- Goal #4: Partnerships among supporters and providers of services to low-income people are achieved
  - ➤ 2,091 local partnerships were established or maintained with other public and private entities to mobilize and leverage resources to support continuum of care services.
  - ➤ 787 local partnerships were established or maintained with other public and private entities to ensure that ethnic, cultural, and other special needs considerations are appropriately included in delivery of services.

Goal #5: Agencies increase their capacity to achieve results

- Service Providers mobilized \$192,237,915 in addition to their CSBG grant award.
- ➤ 582,783 people showed improvement as a result of receiving emergency intervention services.
- Goal #6: Low-income people, especially vulnerable populations, achieve their potential by strengthening family and other supportive systems
  - ➤ 884,146 households who received emergency safety-net services improved their immediate condition.
  - ➤ 1,016,810 households moved from in-crisis to stable condition after receiving emergency safety-net services.